



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)
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Appl. No. : 09/663,600) Grp./A.U. : 1646
Filed : September 15, 2000) Examiner : O Hara, E
Title : EXTENDED cDNAs FOR)
SECRETED PROTEINS.)

ESTABLISHMENT OF RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION

AND

REVOCATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The undersigned is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee below (the "Assignee"). The Assignment of the above-captioned application from the inventors to the Assignees was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 07, 2001 at reel 011776, frame 0975. This Assignment represents the entire chain of title of this invention from the Inventors to the Assignees.

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The undersigned hereby revokes any previous powers of attorney in the subject application, and it hereby appoints the following persons registered to practice before the Patent and Trademark Office as my attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application and all divisions and continuations thereof and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: the registrants of the firm Saliwanchik, Lloyd & Saliwanchik, A Professional Association, 2421 N.W. 41st Street, Suite A-1, Gainesville, FL 32606-6669, Customer ID No. 23,557, John Lucas, Registration No. 43,373, and Carol Johns, Registration No. 50,463.

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